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Dear Sir:

The Applicant wishes to bring to the attention of the Patent Office the reference listed on the attached form PTO-1449 and request that it be considered by the Examiner. The reference was cited in U.S. Application Serial No. 09/457,124, filed December 7, 1999. A copy of the cited reference is enclosed herewith.

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